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PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM DEPUTY SECRETARY RUSH TO PRIME MINISTER BISTA.

QTE: MR. PRIME MINISTER: I WAS DEEPLY DISTRESSED TO
LEARN OF THE GREAT TRAGEDY WHICH HAS BEFALLEN YOUR
GOVERNMENT IN THE FIRE AT SINGHA DURBAR. I REMEMBER
SO WELL OUR RECENT VISIT WITH YOU AND THE WONDERFUL
BANQUET GIVEN ME AND MY PARTY IN THOSE GRAND ROOMS.
DESPITE THIS DISASTER TO GOVERNMENT FACILITIES, I AM
CONFIDENT YOUR GOVERNMENT WILL CONTINUE TO FACE THE FUTURE
NOW AS COURAGEOUSLY AS YOU HAVE IN THE PAST. ROGERS

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